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1. DEPARTMENT GUIDANCE AND POSITION PAPER REQUESTED FOR FOLLOWING AGENDA ITEMS:

A. ITEM 3.1.1, METHODS OF WORK OF GENERAL CONFERENCE. ITEM WILL BE HANDLED BY SPECIAL COMMITTEE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 5. DISCUSSION WILL INCLUDE MEMBERSHIP, REGIONAL AND GEOGRAPHIC REPRESENTATION ON ORGANS OF GENERAL CONFERENCE AND EXECUTIVE BOARD, AND QUESTIONS OF ROTATIONS AND CONTINUITY.

B. ITEM 3.2.1., WORKING METHODS OF EXECUTIVE BOARD. ITEM SCHEDULED FOR PLENARY SEPTEMBER 12 AND 13.

THIS IS ITEM FOR DISCUSSING U.S. CONCERN FOR MECHANISM FOR HANDLING COMPLAINTS BY MEMBER STATE AGAINST ANOTHER STATE. DISCUSSION WILL ALSO PROBABLY INCLUDE RESPONSIBILITIES AND FUNCTIONS OF EXECUTIVE UNCLASSIFIED

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BOARD, POSSIBLE ROLE OF PERMANENT DELEGATIONS, ETC.

C. ITEM 3.2.2. TRAVEL OF MEMBERS OF EXECUTIVE BOARD. NEED TO KNOW U.S. POSITION RE COST AND CLASS OF TRAVEL PERFORMED BY MEMBERS OF GOVERNING BODIES IN U.N. SYSTEM.

D. ITEM 3.3.2.1. JIU REPORT ON EVALUATION IN UN SYSTEM. ITEM WILL BE HANDLED BY SPECIAL COMMITTEE WEEK OF SEPTEMBER 5. NEED TO KNOW DEPARTMENT'S VIEWS SINCE REPORT IS CONCERNED WITH U.N. SYSTEM AS A WHOLE SUGGEST OBTAINING INPUTS FROM BERB TURNER, AID/PPC/EVALUATION AND PIERRE SALES, AID/PPC/IA/UN.

E. ITEM 4.1. ADJUSTMENTS TO MEDIUM TERM PLAN (20/C/4) ITEM WILL BE HANDLED BY PLENARY SEPTEMBER 26 AND 27. THIS AN IMPORTANT ITEM. IF U.S. WISHES TO SEE A CHANGE IN CONCENTRATION OR PRIORITIES IN MEDIAN TERM PLAN FOR 1977-1982, SUCH AS BASIC HUMAN NEEDS, STATUS OF WOMEN AND THEIR PARTICIPATION IN DEVELOPMENT, SPECIAL EDUCATION, DRUG ABUSE EDUCATION, POPULATION, ETC., THIS IS PLACE TO MAKE INTERVENTION.

F. ITEM 4.2. PRELIMINARY PROPOSALS OF DG FOR DRAFT PROGRAM AND BUDGET FOR 1979-1980 (20/C/5). ITEM WILL BE HANDLED BY PLENARY SEPTEMBER 22-26. THIS IS THE MAJOR PROGRAM TOPIC AT THIS BOARD. AFTER THIS POINT ONLY MINOR ADJUSTMENTS CAN BE EXPECTED IN PROGRAM AID BUDGET FOR 1979-1980. IF U.S. WISHES SEE SPECIAL ATTENTION IN 20/C/5 IN AREAS SUCH AS BASIC EDUCATION IN SUPPORT OF BASIC HUMAN NEEDS STRATEGY, STATUS OF WOMEN AND THEIR PARTICIPATION IN DEVELOPMENT, SPECIAL EDUCATION, DRUG ABUSE EDUCATION, UNCLASSIFIED

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POPULATION, PHYSICAL EDUCATION, VOCATIONAL EDUCATION, STUDY OF DEVELOPMENT, ETC., THEN THIS IS TIME AND PLACE TO INTERVENE.

G. ITEM 5.2.2. UNITED NATIONS UNIVERSITY, NEED TO KNOW CONSISTENT U.S. POSITION RE UNU FOLLOWED IN OTHER FORA.

H. ITEM 5.2.3. LITERACY PROGRAM AND POSSIBLE LAUNCHING OF LITERACY DECADE. NEED TO KNOW U.S. VIEW ON THIS AND ESPECIALLY AS IT MAY RELATE TO U.S. CONCENTRATION ON BASIS HUMAN NEEDS STRATEGY. SUGGEST INPUT FROM AID/IIA AND AID/PPC/IA/UN.

I. ITEM 5.2.5. PLACE AND DATE OF INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE OF STATES FOR ADOPTION OF CONVENTION ON RECOGNITION OF STUDIES, DIPLOMAS AND DEGREES IN HIGHER EDUCATION IN ARAB STATES.

J. ITEM 5.3.1. REPORT OF DG ON ESTABLISHMENT OF SPECIAL ACCOUNT ENTITLED QUOTE SPECIAL FUND FOR YOUTH UNQUOTE.

(. ITEM 5.5.1. REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON CONVENTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS IN EDUCATION (HUMAN RIGHTS). PROCEDURE FOR HANDLING "CASES".

I. ITEM 5.5.2. REPORT OF WORKING PARTY ON PROCEDURES FOR HUMAN RIGHTS QUESTIONS. (SEE PARIS 22706).

M. ITEM 5.8.1. REPORT OF DG ON PROVIDING INCREASED AID TO DEVELOPING COUNTRIES WITHIN REGULAR BUDGET.

N. ITEM 6.1. RECENT DECISIONS WITHIN U.N. SYSTEM.

O. ITEM 6.2 METHODS OF CONSIDERING RECENT DECISIONS UNCLASSIFIED

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WITHIN UN SYSTEM.

P. ITEM 6.3. COOPERATION WITH UNDP. SUGGEST INPUTS FROM AID/IIA AND AID/PPC/IA"UN.

Q. ITEM 6.4. REPORT OF DG ON UNESCO AND AFRICAN LIBERATION MOVEMENTS.

R. ITEM 6.5. REPORT ON UNESCO AN NGO'S

S. ITEM 7.6 GEOGRAPHICAL DISTRIBUTION OF STAFF. HARTMAN

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